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ABERDEEN'S FARMER'S POCKET-COMPANION: OR, A NEW PROGNOSTICATION, FOR THE YEAR of our LORD 1770.

The second after *Bissexile* or *Leap-Year*; and from the Creation according to Holy Writ, 5774: But according to the best of Prophane History, 5729.

Together with the Rising and Setting of the S U N, the Age and Changes of the M O O N, the Eclipses, Disposition of the Weather, and the whole known Fairs in SCOTLAND, the Distances of the principle Towns from EDINBURGH, with a List of the Sixteen SCOTTS Peers.

The Fairs are adapted to the New Style; more fuller than in any formerly Printed, so Merchants and Travellers may depend on the Correctness of this New Pocket Companion.

By *Merry Andrew* Professor of Astrology and Prediction at *Tamtellan*.

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Common and vulgar Notes for the Year 1770.

Dominical Letter	G	Shrove Sunday	Feb 25
Cycle of the Sun	15	Fastens-even,	Feb 27
Prime	4	Easter Sunday	April 15
Epact	3	Whitsunday	June 3

Of the four Quarters of the Year, 1770

SPRING Quarter begins *March 19th Day*, at 3 Afternoon
SUMMER Quarter begins *June 21st Day*, at 2 Morning
HARVEST Quarter begins *Sept. 22d Day*, at 4 Morning.
WINTER Quarter begins *December 21st Day*, at 7 Morning.

There will be 2 Eclipses this year, and both of the Sun.
 The first of the Sun May the 25th, at one in the mor invisible;
 The second in November 1st at 10 in the mor invisible.

The 1st termly quarter begins on Feb 13 called Candlemas.
 2^d Q. begins May 12, tho' the vulgar reckon from May the 14,
 called Rood Day; 3^d Q. begins on August 12, called Lammas
 Day; 4th and last Q. begins Nov 12, called Hallow day.

JANUARY begins on Monday, hath xxxi days.

Sun rises at 8, sets at 4, day 8, and night 18 hours long.

Raw frost to the 15, Snow to the end.

First quarter 5 day at 1 in the Morning. Full Moon 11 day,
 5 in the Afternoon. Last quarter 18 day, at 6 in the After-
 noon. New Moon 24 day, 10 at Night.

Fairs. Kilsyth 1 day. Strathaven 1 thurs. Muthel 10, Killin
 in Breadalbane, St. Fillan's 2, Forwinning and Dunkeld. 21,
 Criell, Old Meldrum and Glasgow 2 tues. Ecclesfechen 1 friday
 after 11 day, Tain 1 tues. Peebles 3 tues. Stirling last tues.
 O. S. Dumfermline 3 wed. Hamilton last thurs. Machlin last
 wed. and thurs, O. S. Newmills 3 wed, o. s. Falkirk 31,
 Lochmaben last Tuesday old stile

FEBRUARY begins on Thuesday hath xxviii days.

Sun rises at 7, sets at 5 day 10, night 14 hours long.

Cold and dry to the 18 Wind and snow to the end

First quarter 3 day at Noon. Full Moon 11 day, at 4 in
 the Morning. Last quarter 17 day at 1 in the Afternoon.
 New Moon 25 day at 4 in the Afternoon.

Fairs. Blair in Athol 1 day. Kilmarnock, Dunkeld 3. Down
 11. Dumfries 1 wed. after the 13, Couper in Fife 14. Nairn
 18. Haddington and Linlithgow 25. Largs 1 tues Ruthven of
 Badenoch Inverness Kirktown Weemsto 1 2 tues. Hamilton a
 thurs. Ecclesfechan Frid. after 11 day, Paisley 3 thurs. Kirktown
 Alford Lanerk last tues Forfar last weor

MARCH begins on Thuesday, hath xxxi days.

Sun rises at 6, and sets at 6, day and night then equal.

Dry and mild to the 21, Wind to the end.

Feb 25
 Feb 27
 April 15
 June 5

First quarter 4 day, 8 at Night. Full Moon 11 day, at 4 in the afternoon. Last quarter 19 day, at 9 in the Morning. New moon 27 day at 6 in the Morning.

Fairs, Dunkeld 8 day, Perth 16, Peebles, Kilsyth and Nairn tues. Inverkeithing 1 wed. Strathaven 1 thurs. Mid Calder to tues. Dumfermline 2 wed. Kenmore in Breadalbine 1 tues. 2. s. Ecclestechan friday after the 11 day, Tain and Dumbarton 3 tuesday, Kinross 3 wed. O. S.

A P R I L begins on Sunday, hath xxx days.

Sun rises at 5, sets at 7, day 14, night 10 hours.

Good weather to the 20. Wind and rain to end.

First quarter 3 day, at 3 in the Morning. Full moon 10 day at 5 in the Morning. Last quarter 18 day, 5 in the Afternoon. New moon 25 day, at 5 in the Afternoon.

Fairs Auchtermuchty 5 day, Glasgow, Dumbarton, Couper of Angus, Old Aberdeen, Elgin and Melrose, thurs. before Easter, Ecclestechan frid. after the 11. Dumfermline 4 wed. Lanerk last wed. Lochmaben last tues. o. s.

M A Y begins on Thursday, hath xxxi.

Warm showers to the 17, dry weather to the end.

Sun rises at 4, sets at 8, day 16, night 8 hours.

First quarter 2 day, at 10 in the Morning. Full moon 9 day, at 6 in the Afternoon. Last quarter 17 day, 10 at Night. New moon 25 day, at 1 in the Morning. First quarter 31 day, at 4 in the Afternoon.

Fairs, Kilmarnock 1 tues o. s. Killin in Breadalbine 5, Muthel and Dysart 6, Carluke 10, Linlithgow, Falkirk 12, Mauchlin 2 tues. and wed. n. s. Greenlaw, in Berwickshire 22 day, Ecclestechan frid. after the 11. Kirktown of weems 2 tues. Stirling last thurs. Down, and Peebles 3 wed Dumbarton 3 tues. Paisley, Inverkeithing 3 thurs. Glammis 1 wed. after the 15. o. s. Elgin, Dunning 4 tues. Lanerk last wed, o. s. Kilsyth last friday,

J U N E begins on Friday, hath xxx days.

Sun rises 40 m. after 3, sets 20 m. aft. 8, day 17, night 7 hours.

Showers and thunder to the 13, and warm showers to the end.

Full moon 8 day, at 9 in the Morning. Last quarter 16 day, at 1 in the Afternoon. New moon 23 day, at 9 in the Morning. First quarter 30 day, at 1 in the Morning.

Fairs Kinross 12 day. Moffat 25, Dunning 20, Forfar, Falkland and Brunnsford 26. Kenmore 28. Falkirk, Kells 29. Melrore, Linton markets 1 wed. Jedburgh 1 tues. after whitsunday or whitsontank fair. Aberdeen, Largs 2 tues. Brichan 2 wed.

Dunfermlie 3 wed. Colingburgh 2 frid. Giffard, Dyser of
tues. Skirling 1 wed. o. s. Moncketh 2 Tues. o. s. Ruthven 3
Badenouch 3 Tues. Swinton, Inverkeithing 3 Thurs. Machlin 17
Lauder 3 frid. Earliston 4 Thurs. Perth 24 o. s.

J U L Y begins on Sunday, hath xxxi.

Sun rises at 4, sets at 8, day 16, night 8 hours.

Thunder and lightning to the 17, dry to the end.

Full moon 7 day at Noon. Last quarter 15 day, at Noon.
New moon 22 day, at 4 in the Afternoon. First quarter 29
day, at Noon.

Fairs. Meikeloer 2, Strawfillan 3, Carnwath, Yetholm, B-
dleston 5, Kelfo, Falkirk 10, Auchtermuchty 13, Moffat 30,
St Boswal's 18, Peebles Tues. before 12, Kilmarnock 3 wed. o. s.
Machlin 22, o. s. Lauder 4 frid. Kenmore, Down 16, Stir-
ing 20, o. s. Ormiston, Forfar 1 Tues. Leven Dunfermlie 1
wed. Galahiel 1 frid. Haddington, Mellerstain 2 Tues. Tain
Torrybourn 2 wed. Newmills 2 wed. o. s. Hamilton 3 Thurs.
Kirkaldy 3 wed. Paldy fair in the Mairns Tues. after 11, Largs
3 Tues. Kinross 3 wed. o. s. Elgin last Tues. Falkirk last Tues.
o. s. Lanerk last wed. o. s. Lochmaben last Tues. o. s.

AUGUST begins on Wednesday, hath xxxi days.

Sun rises at 5, sets at 7, day 14, night 10 hours.

Warm showers to the 10, fine weather to the end.

Full moon 6 day, at 3 in the Afternoon. Last quarter 4 day,
at 8 in the Morning. New moon 20 day, 11 at Night. First
quarter 28 day, at 2 in the Morning.

Fairs. Muthel and St. James's fair near Kelfo 5, Melrose 2,
Dundee, Inverness 15, Killyth 16, Micklelour 9, Auchtermuchty
21, Dunfermlie, Falkirk 26. Dumfermlie, Forfar 1 Tues. Dumbar-
ton 2 Tues. Path-head 1 wed. Inverkeithing 2 wed. Paisly 2
Thurs. Kirkwall in Orkney 1 Tues. o. s. Peebles 2 Tues. Irvine 9
monday, Laurence fair 3 Tues. Jedburgh 2 Tues. o. s. Newmills
22, o. s. Carnwath, Tain 3 wed. Dyart 4 wed. Hamilton 4
Thurs. Stranraer last frid. Lauder 4 frid. Machlin, Falkirk last
Tues. o. s. Lanerk last frid. o. s.

SEPTEMBER begins on Saturday, hath xxx days

Sun rises at 6, and sets at 6, day and night then equal.

Cold and dry to the 19, herveast weather to the end.

Full moon 5 day, at 6 in the Morning. Last quarter 12
day, at 3 in the Afternoon. New moon 18 day, at 9 in the
Morning. First quarter 26 day, 8 at Night.

New moon on Thursday 29, at 10 Night.

Fairs. Kirkcudbright 6, Perth 9, Inverness and Skirling 15,

Kenmore 17, Stirling, Dundee 19, Jedburgh 25, Haddington, Ayr, St. Andrews 29. Falkirk 21; Colinton 1 thurs. o. s. Braemar 3 wed. o. s. Dumfries 1 wed. after 14, o. s. Forfar, Kirkcaldy last wed. Dumfermline 4 frid. Nairn 29 or last frid. little Michael that day fortnight.

OCTOBER begins on Monday, hath xxxi days.

Sun rises at 7, sets at 5, day 10, night 14 hours.

fine dry hereaft weather to the end.

Full moon 4 day, 8 at Night. Last quarter 11 day 10 at Night. New moon 18 day, 8 at Night. First quarter 26 day, at 4 in the afternoon.

Fairs Kirktown of Dull 6, Path-head 7, Crieff 10, Coupar, in Fife 12, Ratho 13, Mikelour 18, Perth 20, Dunin 24, Moffat, Kinross, Newmills 29, Muthel 31, Aberdeen, Gifford 1 tues. Galashies 1 frid. Mellerstain, Mid-Calder, Elgin 2 tues. Haddington 2 thurs. Leven 2 wed. Collinsburgh 2 frid. Dalkith, Ayr 3 tues. Ormiston, Swinton 4 tues. Kilmarnock, 3 wed, Inverkiehing, Stenton 3 wed. Monesseth 2 tues. o. s. Earlston 3 thurs. Rutherglen 4 monday, Largs 4 tues. Kirkintilloch, Greenlaw 2 thurs. Lauder 4 frid. Parton-craigs. Old-hamstock last tues. Dumfermline Eyemouth last thurs. Stranrewer last frid. Lochmaben last tues. o. s.

NOVEMBER begins one Thursday, hath xxx days.

Sun rises at 8, sets at 4, day 8, night 16 hours.

Raw frost to the 14, snow and sleet to the end.

Full moon 3 day, at 9 in the Morning. Last quarter 10 day, at 5 in the Morning. New moon 17 day at 10 in the Morning. First quarter 25 day, at 1 in the Afternoon

Fairs Kelso and Stirling 2. Langholm 5, Foulis, Falkirk 6, Hawick, Dyfert, Machlin 8, Dumblane 12, Borrowstouness, Lauder 16, Dunse 17, Melrose, Tain, Coupar in Fife 22, Killyth 23, Down 26, Dumfermline 4 wed. Wemyss tues. before 28, Dunkeld 28, Killin, Moffat 1 tues. o. s. Peebles 1 tues. Forfar 1 wed. Cockenzie Strathven 1 thurs. Edinburgh, Jedburgh 2 tues. Paisly 2 thurs. Ruthven of Bad. Dunbar, and Greenock 4 tues. Glamis 27, Lanerk 2 wed. Hamilton, 4 thurs.

DECEMBER begins on Saturday, hath xxxi days

Sun rises 40 min. past 8, set 20 min. past 3, day 7, night 17 hours

Snow to the 8 frost to the end.

Full moon 2 day, 9 at Night. Last quarter 9 day at 2 in the Afternoon. New moon 17 day, at 3 in the morning. First quarter 25 day at 8 in the Morning.

New moon on thursday 28 day at 3 in the Morning.

Fairs Kenmore 2. Newmills 9, Perth 11, Ecclefechan 13. Aberdeen 1 tues. Kenmore 24, Down 26, Pffables, St. Andrews 1 tues. before 12. Elgin, and Naitn 2 tues. Inverness and Tain tues. before Christmass, Machlin 2 tues. o. s. Lanerk last tues. At Ochtergeaven last wed of May, 2 wed. of Aug. 18 of Oct. custome free 7 years. their old fair 15 of Nov. custom as usual.

Catalogue of the principal kings and princes in Europe,

	Born.	Ages
G George III. king of Great-Britain, &c.	4 June	32
George prince of Wales	12 Aug.	8
Francis Stephen emperor of Germany	8 Dec.	62
Maria Teresa empress of Germany	13 May	53
Lewis XV. king of France	15 Feb.	62
Stanislaus duke of Lorrain	18 April	65
Don Carlos king of Spain	20 Jan.	51
Joseph king of Portugal	6 June	56
Charles Frederick king of Prussia	24 Jan.	58
Stanislaus Augustus elected K. Poland, Sept 7. 1764	2 May	50
Frederick king of Denmark	31 March	27
Adolphus Frederick king of Sweden	14 May	59
Charles Frederick duke of Holstein	19 April	71
Charles Emmanuel king of Sardinia	27 April	69
Mahomet Sultan of Turkey	15 Jan.	74

An everlasting Table, shewing the time of the Moon's being even South, and time of full sea at Leith according to the Moon's age.

Moon's Age.		Moon		Full sea at Leith.		Example
Inc.	Dec.	South.	Fore-noon.	After-noon.		
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.		The 1st of January 1770, I find to be the 4 day. of the moon's age, and full sea at Leith 43 min. after 4 forenoon, and 17 minutes before 5 at night.
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2	17	1 36	3 22	3 46		
3	18	2 24	4 5	4 29		
4	19	3 12	4 43	5 7		
5	20	4 0	5 21	5 45		
6	21	4 48	5 55	6 19		
7	22	5 36	6 27	6 51		
8	23	6 24	7 15	7 39		
9	24	7 12	8 18	8 42		
10	25	8 0	9 21	9 42		
11	26	8 48	10 19	10 43		
12	27	9 36	11 17	11 41		
13	28	10 24	11 57	12 34		
14	29	11 12	1 0	1 27		
15	30	12 0	1 51	2 15		

List of the 16 Scots Peers.

Campbel duke of Argyle
Murray duke of Athole
The Duke of Gordon
Douglas earl of Morton
Montgomery earl of Eglinton
Hamilton earl of Abercorn
Campbel earl of Loudon
The earl of Strathmore
Murray earl of Dunmore
Douglas earl of March and

Ruglen, Hume earl of Marchmont, Stewart earl of Bute,
Murray vis Stormont Cathcart lord Cathcart, The earl
Roseberry. Lord Viscount Irwin.

Distances of the most remarkable Towns in SCOTLAND

EDINBURGH, &c. in computed Miles.

I To St Andrews	Mulhearn	8	St Catherine's	6
Leith	1 Blair in Athol	8	Inverary by water	4
Kinghorn by water	7 Dalnacardoch	7	Total	65
Kennoway	8 Dalwhinnie	18	XI To Air	
St Andrews	8 Ruthven Baden.	9	Kirk of Shots	18
Total	24 Ave-more	8	Hamilton	6
II To Perth	Corryburgh	8	Strathaven	6
Kinghorn	8 Inverness	10	Newmills	8
Falkland	10 Total	104	Air	12
Perth	10 VI To Fort Augustus		Total	50
Total	28 and Inverness		XII To Dumfrie	
III By another way	Dalwhinnie No V	70	Linton	12
Queenserry	7 Garviemore	12	Beild	12
Northerry	2 Fort Augustus	12	Moffat	12
Kinross	10 General's Hut	14	Dumries	16
Perth	10 Inverness	10	Total	52
Total	29 Total	124	XIII To Peebles	
IV To Inverness	VII To Stirling		Howgate mouth	8
Kenoway No I	10 Lirlithgow	12	Peebles	8
Couper in File	6 Falkirk	6	Total	16
Dundee and water	8 Stirling	6	XIV. To Selkirk	
Arbroath	12 Total	24	Asperitoun	8
Montrose	8 VIII To Glasgow		Traquair	9
Bervv	8 Mid-Calder	8	Selkirk	6
Stonehive	8 Whitburn	6	Total	23
Aberdeen	12 Kirk of Shots	4	XV To Jedburgh	
Old Meldrum	12 belzie-hill	6	Dalkeith	4
Fyvie	6 Glasgow	6	Ginglekirk	8
Turreff	6 Total	30	Lauder	4
Banff	6 IX North way		Melrose	6
Cullen	8 Falkirk	18	Ancrum	6
Focharbers	8 Killyth	9	Jedburgh	2
Elgin	6 Kirkintilloch	3	Total	30
Forres	8 Glasgow	6	XVI To Kelso	
Nairn	8 Total	36	Ginlekirk	12
Inverdes	12 X To Inverary		Legerwood	7
Total	158 Glasgow VIII	30	Kelso	7
V Highland road to	Dumbarton	10	Total	26
Perth (No II)	28 Cairdow	8		
Dunkeld	10 Portencople			

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Forres	8	Glasgow	6	XVI To Kelso	
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